HUGH-PAM PORCUPINE MINES LIMITED

ANNUAL 1968 REPORT

HUGH-PAM PORCUPINE MINES LIMITED

Officers

H. F. Brownbill, President

F. G. Lawson, Vice-President

W. H. Maedel, Vice-President and Secretary-Treasurer

Directors

H. F. Brownbill

L. B. Harder

D. G. Lawson

F. G. Lawson

W. H. Maedel

Transfer Agents and Registrars

Canada Permanent Trust Company, Toronto, Canada

Registrar and Transfer Company, Jersey City, U.S.A.

Auditors

Campbell, Sharp, Nash & Field

Bankers

Bank of Montreal

Solicitors

Lang, Michener, Cranston, Farquharson & Wright

Head Office

105 Adelaide St. West, Toronto, Ontario

Report of the Directors

To the Shareholders:

The Annual Report of the Company for the year ended December 31, 1968 is presented herewith.

At year-end working capital plus investments at quoted market value totalled \$747,620, or 16¢ per share — compared to \$572,205 at December 31, 1967 — after net expenditures during the year for exploration and development of \$55,137.

Most of the investment in Brazilian Light and Power Company Ltd. was liquidated last year and some new investments were added to the portfolio. The main shareholdings at December 31, 1968 were as follows:

Company	Shares
Abitibi Paper Company Ltd	12,000
Brazilian Light and Power Company Ltd.	5,500
British Newfoundland Corporation Ltd	3,547
Canadian Pacific Investments Ltd. — Preferred "A"	2,000
Kerr Addison Mines Limited	10,000
Power Corporation of Canada Ltd	10,000
	Warrants
Canadian Pacific Investments Ltd	2,000

Exploration for uranium was carried out on the 159 claims in the Serpent River Area of Ontario, south of Elliot Lake. Detailed geological mapping of the granite-sedimentary contact that traverses the claims was followed by diamond drilling. Four of the five holes drilled penetrated the Lower Mississagi formation but failed to locate the favourable conglomerate beds. These claims will be given further study before a decision is reached as to doing further work.

An exploration project for silver deposits in the Cobalt Area of Ontario was conducted by the Company with financing provided by Hugh-Pam and other participants. Eighteen holes totalling approximately 15,000 feet were drilled between March and December, 1968 to test a trough of Huronian sediments. Although interesting silver values were encountered no deposits of ore-making potential were indicated; therefore, the project has been terminated and the property options relinquished.

During the 1968 field season further exploration was done on the claim group in the Ketza River Area, Yukon Territory in which the Company is participating with Northwest Explorers (1967) Limited and Freeport Canadian Exploration Company. The work consisted mainly of bulldozer trenching of geochemical anomalies located during a program of soil sampling and geological mapping carried out in 1967. The silver veins located in this work are of insufficient size and grade to be economic in such a remote location.

The former gold producing property in the Porcupine Area continues to be of interest in view of the prospects for an increase in the official price of gold. A large tonnage of low grade gold-bearing material was indicated in the Hugh-Pam mine prior to shut-down in 1965.

Management is continuing its search for potential mining properties.

On behalf of the Board,

LI & Browning

President.

April 29, 1969.

HUGH-PAM PORCUPINE MINES LIMITED

(Incorporated under the laws of Ontario)

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1968

(With comparative figures for 1967)

ASSETS	
Current 1968	1967
Cash and short term deposits \$ 176,830	\$ 16,438
Accrued interest	83
177,244	16,521
Investments in Other Companies — at cost	
Market value 1968 — \$614,575; 1967 — \$564,350	342,403
Mining Property	-
Whitney Township	1
Serpent River Area — at cost	8,774
9,779	8,775
Deferred 50,002	24,651
Exploration, development and other expenditures	\$ 392,350
	\$ 392,330
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Current Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,099,340

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

On behalf of the Board:

"H. F. BROWNBILL", Director.

"FRANK G. LAWSON", Director.

Statement of Deferred Exploration, Development and Other Expenditures

For the Year Ended December 31, 1968

Balance, December 31, 1967		\$ 24,651
Serpent River Area — Ontario		No.
Prospecting and staking	\$ 189	
Geological and engineering salaries	4,906	
Consultants and outside engineering	4,755	
Diamond drilling	21,609	
Geophysical surveys	1,541	
Geological surveys	2,224	
Field office and camp expense	5,302	
Vehicle operating	1,822	42,348
Ketza River Area — Y.T.		14,298
		56,646
Other		
Cobalt Silver prospect — participation	20,235	
Examination of prospects	460	
	20,695	
Less: Amount transferred to deficit	20,695	
Property Taxes — Whitney Township		1,459
Administration		
Salaries	5,800	
General and administration	10,100	
Directors' fees	225	
Legal and audit	629	
Shareholders' reports and meetings	971	
Transfer agents' fees and expenses	1,685	19,410
		77,515
Less: Dividend and interest income		43,073
Net Expenditures for year — deferred		34,442
Balance, December 31, 1968		\$ 59,093

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements

Statement of Source and Use of Funds For the Year Ended December 31, 1968

Source of Funds		
Sale of investment in shares of other companies		\$ 651,141
Use of Funds		
Net expenditures per statement	\$ 34,442	
Amounts written off per statement	20,695	
Investment in shares of other companies	469,809	
Acquisition of mining claims	1,005	525,951
Increase in Working Capital		125,190
Working Capital, beginning of year		7,855
Working Capital, end of year		\$ 133,045

Notes to the Financial Statements December 31, 1968

- 1. Should mining operations at its Whitney Township property be resumed profitably, some portion or all of a liability of \$269,000, since written off could become payable out of said profits.
- 2. Investments are being shown at cost (average) in place of cost less proceeds of disposals, as shown in prior years.
- 3. Comparative figures for 1967 receipts and expenditures have not been shown since activities of the company were not of a comparable nature.
- 4. Remuneration of directors and senior officers was \$6,025.

AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders of Hugh-Pam Porcupine Mines Limited:

We have examined the balance sheet of Hugh-Pam Porcupine Mines Limited as at December 31, 1968 and the statements of deferred exploration, development and other expenditures, and source and use of funds for the year then ended. Our examination included a general review of the accounting procedures and such tests of accounting records and other supporting evidence as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the company as at December 31, 1968 and the results of its operations and the source and use of its funds for the year then ended, in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

CAMPBELL, SHARP, NASH & FIELD,

Chartered Accountants.

Toronto, Canada, March 21, 1969.

